

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

Last year, the City of San Antonio property tax rate was \$0.57854 per \$100 taxable valuation. That rate raised \$271,367,068, a portion of which was used to fund operations such as:

Police and fire protection, emergency medical services, public works including street maintenance, parks and recreation, library, health and human services, code compliance, economic development, capital improvements including street, drainage and park improvements.

This year, the City of San Antonio is proposing a property tax rate of \$0.57854 per \$100 taxable valuation. That rate would raise \$289,147,162, which is \$17,780,094 more than taxes imposed last year.

There will be two public hearings to consider that increase. The first public hearing will be held on Thursday, September 1, 2005, at 6:00 PM in the City Council Chambers, 103 Main Plaza. The second public hearing will be held on Thursday, September 8, 2005, at 6:00 PM in the City Council Chambers, 103 Main Plaza.

You have a right to attend the hearings and make comments. You are encouraged to attend and make comments if you wish.

Disability Access Statement

The meeting site is wheelchair accessible. The accessible entrance is located at 103 Main Plaza. Accessible parking places are located at City Hall, 100 Military Plaza. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request (interpreters for the deaf must be requested forty-eight (48) hours prior to the meeting) by calling (210) 207-7245 V/TDD for assistance. Close captioning is available on broadcasts of the Council Meeting on cable channel 21-TVSA.

/s/Leticia M. Vacek, TRMC, CMS, City Clerk